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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E.C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 50, Cornhill. GORDON & GUTHRIE, 10, Old Bailey. HENRY & Co., 4, Old Bailey. E.C. SAMUEL DRAKE & Co., 150 & 151, Leadenhall Street.

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SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally.—BEAN & BLACK, San Francisco.

SINGAPORE AND STRAITS.—SAYLE & Co., Singapore. C. HENNINGSEN & Co., Manila.

CHINA.—MACAO, MESSRS A. D. MELLO & Co., Suvaia, Campbell & Co., Amoy, Wilson, Nichols & Co., Foochow, Hedger & Co., Shanghai, Lane, Crawford & Co., and KELLY & WALSH, Yokohama, Lane, Crawford & Co.

Banks.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000.
RESERVE FUND, £100,000.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.
THE CITY BANK.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH IN HONGKONG grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

On Current Accounts, 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits, 3 per cent. per annum.

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.

For 6 months, 4 per cent. per annum.

For 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.

WILLIAM FORREST, Manager.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £5,000,000 Dollars.
RESERVE FUND, £1,000,000 Dollars.

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Chairman—The Hon. W. KENNEDY.

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LONDON BANKERS—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.

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For 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East.

Hongkong, August 16, 1880.

COMPTON DESCOMPTES DE PARIS.

(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNIZED BY THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 30th April, 1863.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP, £2,000,000.
RESERVE FUND, £200,000.

HEAD OFFICE—14, Rue Basse, PARIS.

AGENTS AND BRANCHES at:

LONDON, BOULOGNE, SAN FRANCISCO, MARRILLAS, BOMBAY, HONGKONG, LYONS, CALCUTTA, HANKOW, NANTES, SHANGHAI, FOOCHOW, MELBOURNE.

LONDON BANKERS: THE BANK OF ENGLAND. THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business.

E. G. VOULLEMONT, Manager, Shanghai.

Hongkong, May 20, 1870.

Banks.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

At 3 months' notice 3 1/2 per annum.

" 6 " " 4 " "

" 12 " " 5 " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT, Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

MR. JOHANN NICOLAUS GOOS.

MANN is authorized to Sign Bills of Lading in our Name.

MELCHERS & Co.

Hongkong, November 29, 1880. de29

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed SOLE AGENTS of the ELLIOTT'S METAL COMPANY, Birmingham, for Hongkong and China.

MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, Sept. 13, 1880. de18

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,

the 1st December, at 2 o'clock p.m., at the WANDH GOWDOW COMPANY'S Godown, No. 2, Wanchi.

The following GOODS, namely:—

Anchor, Chains, Rope, Blocks, Sails, Rigging, Wire Rope, and other Ship's

Apparel, together with Sundry Oilman's STORES, salvaged from the British barque "Flecher."

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash in Bank Notes on delivery. All Lots, with all faults and error of description, to be at Purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer, and to be cleared within seven days from Day of Sale.

HUGHES & LEGGE, Auctioneers.

Hongkong, Nov. 27, 1880. de1

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 4th December, 1880, at 11 o'clock a.m., at Messrs LANDSTEIN & Co.'s Godowns, No. 51, Wanchi.

(For account of whom it may concern.)

Ex S.S. "Tunis," from Saigon.

A Quantity of SALT, about 5,400 Piculs.

TERMS.—Cash on delivery.

G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, Nov. 27, 1880. de4

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 4th December, 1880, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road.

A Collection of CHINESE & JAPANESE CURIOS, comprising:—

Old Bronzes, Old Chin-chew Ware, Pekin Enamel, Jade Stone, Lacquer Ware, Sang de Bouf, &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, Nov. 29, 1880. de4

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

EXTRA DRY BRANDY, First Quality.

Second Quality.

GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, October 22, 1880. de22

FOR SALE.

JULES MUM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts, £18 per 1 doz. Case.

Pints, £17 per 9 doz.

GILB. LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

FOR SALE.

MULLER FRERES'S CELEBRATED OLD BRANDY, in Cases of 1 dozen Qtz.

Apply to HESSE & Co., Sole Agents.

Hongkong, Sept. 1, 1880. 1j81

For Sale.

KELLY & WALSH

HAVE just Received CHRISTMAS CARDS:—

LET'S DIARIES for 1881.

Perry's "Navies of the World."

Hamerton's "Etchings and Engravings."

"Handbook of Architectural Styles."

"The Englishman's House."

Cavendish's "Card Essays and Devotions."

Dickens's "Speeches."

Carroll's "Cockayne."

Bergin's "Marine Engineer."

Roper's "Engineer's Handy-book."

Quida's "Moths."

Dickens's "Works" Complete, 18 Vols. in Cass.

Scott's "Works" Complete, 32 Handy Vols. in Cass.

Vere Foster's "Drawing Course."

Huttl's "Life and Writings of Buckle."

Gillott's PENS in great varieties.

New SKETCHING BLOCKS.

Hingston's "Australian Abroad, Ceylon, India and Egypt."

Hongkong, November 13, 1880.

To Let.

TO BE LET.

INNISFALLEN, close to the Gap, containing a very Large DRAWING ROOM and CONSERVATORY, furnished with choice Plants, &c.; Dining Room, Drawing Room, Three Bed Rooms, with Bath Room off each; Partry, Wine Cellar and Dairy. The whole fully furnished. In the last mentioned Drawing Room there is a London-made Billiard Table (quite new, 8 feet by 4) with accessories.

The Gardens comprise a Cricket and Tennis Lawns, comprising Half-acre; also a Large GRASSY LAWN, with Two Kitchen Gardens, well stocked; there is a Stable, Cow-house and Piggery, and the usual offices for Servants. Possession can be given early in December.

For further Particulars, apply to Messrs LINSTEAD & Co., or to

BREKRETON & WOTTON, Solicitors, 29, QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, November 25, 1880. de2

To Let.

THE DWELLING HOUSES—Nos. 31 and 33, WASHINGTON STREET.

OFFICES IN CHURCH LANE, now in the occupation of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., with Strong Room attached; also other OFFICES and CHAMBERS in the same Building.

Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, October 15, 1880.

To Let.

NO. 8, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, containing Eight Rooms and Out-Houses.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, September 26, 1880.

COAL GODOWNS—TO LET.

BURROWS' GODOWNS, Nos. 43, 56 and 66A, PRINCE STREET, with Private WHARF.

The GODOWNS, Nos. 111, 111A and 115, WANCHI ROAD.

Apply to SIEMSEN & Co.

Hongkong, September 13, 1880.

To Let.

FIRST FLOOR AND GROUND FLOOR of House No. 4, Praya East (known as the BLUE HOUSE); Possession on the 1st of October.

Apply to MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, September 2, 1880.

To Let.

THE HOUSE opposite the WANCHI FIRE, Marine Lot No. 29, containing 8 Rooms, etc., etc., with Gas and Water laid on; Immediate possession.

Apply to MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, July 25, 1879.

Intimations.

TENDERS WANTED.

FOR RAISING the S. S. BRAEMAR CASTLE, sunk in PANGAR Harbour on the 28th October in about 9 to 10 fathoms of water, and by latest accounts still in an upright position.

TENDERS must state the Percentage on the value of the Vessel only, when raised, for which the Work can be undertaken, and the declared Percentage must include all Claims.

TENDERS must be lodged in PANGAR, on or before the 10th December, with Messrs SANDERSON, BUTTNEY & Co., who do not bind themselves to accept the lowest, or any, Tender.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, November 19, 1880. de10

THE "FAR EAST."

THE ISSUES of 1878 WANTED. Apply at this OFFICE.

Hongkong, October 4, 1880.

CARD.

MR. A. HAHN'S DANCING CLASSES have been Re-opened on the 1st October.

Fletcher's Buildings, No. 6, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.

Hongkong, October 4, 1880.

Intimations.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 126.

CHINA SEA.

ENTRANCE TO HAN RIVER—SWATOW DISTRICT.

DOVE ROCK WHISTLING BUOY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a red and black buoyed automatic WHISTLING BUOY, 10 feet in diameter at the water line, as been moored in 4½ fathoms of water about two cables from the pinnacle of the Dove Rock so as to mark the S.E. extremity of the reef.

By order of the Inspector-General of Customs,

DAVID M. HENDERSON, Engineer-in-Chief.

Imperial Maritime Customs, Engineer's Office, Shanghai, 4th October, 1880. de3

DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. ROGERS, now on a visit to SHANGHAI, will return to HONGKONG early in the Winter as usual.

Hongkong, April 1, 1880.

DYNAMITE, FUSES, DETONATORS, &c.

FROM NOBEL'S EXPLOSIVES CO., Limited, Glasgow, can be had in any Quantity on application to

THE BORNEO Co., Ltd., Agents.

Hongkong, March 8, 1880. 8m81

THE WONDER OF THE WORLD.

Good News for all!

PROF. HERMAN'S WORLD RENOWNED

WHICH IS KNOWN TO BE

Far Superior to Anything yet discovered for killing

Rats, Mice, Insects on Poultry, Ants, Bugs, Cook-ropes, Black Beetles, Fleas on Dogs, Blight and Insects on Plants, Moths in Furs, Fleas on Stab or Sheep or Goats, also on Cattle, &c., &c.

This preparation has been applied with great success against the Insects that attack the Coffee Plants, and would doubtless be equally efficacious with the Tea Plants.

BUILD IN PACKETS.

At One Shilling per packet; or six Packets for Five Shillings.

The Powder is warranted free from all bad smell, and will keep in any climate. It may be spread anywhere without risk, as it is quite harmless to Cats or Dogs, as they will not eat it.

DIRECTION FOR USE ON EACH PACKET.

MANUFACTORY:—

GRAVEL LANE, Houndstitch, CITY OF LONDON, ENGLAND.

The above discovery has gained for Professor Herman a Silver Prize Medal at the Inter-Colonial Exhibition of Victoria, Australia, of 1880, besides numerous Testimonials.

Hongkong Agents:—F. BLACKHEAD & Co., W. CRUICKSHANK, Victoria Dispensary.

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Ninth Volume of the "CHINA REVIEW."

Now Ready.

No. 2.—Vol. IX.

—OF THE—

"CHINA REVIEW"

CONTAINS—

Foochow Syllabary.

The Book of Fidelity and Rest.

Characteristics Chinese Words.

Notes on the Korean Language.

Notice of Eminent Statesmen of the Present Dynasty.

A Chip from Chinese History, or the last two Emperors of the Great Sung Dynasty, 1101 to 1126.

Short Notices of New Books and Literary Intelligence.

Notes and Queries:—

Obituary:—

Adoption.—A Case in Point.

Comparative Linguistic Peculiarities.

What may be got from one Root.

Fundamentals under the Chinese Penal Code.

Concise Dictionary of K'ang-hi.

Understanded: Historical Proofs.

Dr. Williams and the State of "Sul."

Books Wanted, Exchanges, &c.

Hongkong, November 11, 1880.

Mr. Andrew Wind, News Agent, &c.

135, NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK.

is authorized to receive Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c., for the China Mail, Overland China Mail, and China Review.

Notices to Consignees.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Underigned for counter-signature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

and back to Hongkong via Bangkok, \$4,750 in full.
British steamer Paladin, 897, to Haiphong and back, 23 cents per picul.
German steamer Octava, 936, Shanghai to Swatow, 25 Tael cents per picul.
Dan steamer Nordstjernen, 795, Monthly Charter, 6 months, \$5,200 per month.

ception of 200 boxes "good medium," at Ts. 20 a 22, all the below mentioned purchases are of the "common to good common" description, at from Ts. 123 a 16 per pail; and, as far as in kind, these are the best quality of the kind, and, moreover, more apparent in the better taste. There have been no settlements of Orange Pekoe.

The following is a summary of the fortnight's business:—

Concong, 6,220 lbs. at Ts. 113 a 24 per pail; Scented Orange Pekoe, 7,000 boxes at Ts. 123 a 22 per pail; Scented Orange Pekoe, 12.

Export of the various descriptions, of Teas shipped from Canton Waters (Hongkong, Canton and Macao) to Great Britain, during the month of August, 1865, was, 79,585 lbs. S. C. Paper 116,369 lbs., S. O. Pekoe 27,021 lbs., Sorts 12,579 lbs., total 125,354 lbs.—making, with previous ship-

Long reels have been taken for India, to the extent of 50 piculs of the usual sorts. In Re reels, there has not been much doing, and only 250 boxes of Camchuck and Lucklow are reported to have been settled.

those for Testales, have advanced, and wholly in the same ratio.

The relative composition of stock in Canton is as follows: Testales, 50 bales; Kowkong 290 bales; Chungchuk and Lucklow, and about 200 to 300 bales of other kinds.

Where this stock is stored it is impossible to say, as there is little thread of any description on offer.

Waste—Settlements are 200 bales of X; 200 bales of Y; 200 bales of Z.

Exported Stock—Export to the United Kingdom, 938 bales; to Continent, 2,660 bales; to American, 4,002 boxes; to Bombay 3,675 pieces; total, 3,668 bales; 4,002 boxes; and 8,676 pieces. Of Waste, 6,900 bales; and Pierced Cocoons, 388 bales for Europe.

QUOTATIONS.

Testales,.....Canton, \$480
Do.Shanghai, \$450

Cumchuck and Lucklow,	\$ 5,380
Re-sealed Cumchuck,	\$ 4,990
" " Lucklow,	\$ 4,500
" " No. 1,	\$ 4,80
" " " "	\$ 4,65
" " " "	\$ 4,50
Waste Silk.....No. 2,	\$ 4,10
Cocoons Pierced....	\$ 84

SETTLEMENTS FOR THE FORTNIGHT.

	1880 '81.	1879-'80
For Europe.....	420 bks.	300 bks.
United States.....	250 bks.	250 bks.
Am. Re-seal.,.....	50 pls.	50 pls.
Bombay.....	100 bales.	80 bales

DADOS AND SPICES.—Casia Lignum,
 Look Poo, and Lotong are quoted at \$8.00
 in mate, and \$9.20 in boxes. Sals is 1.00
 piculs. Stock: 2,703 piculs. Tel Wei
 quoted at \$9.05 in mate, and \$9.50
 in boxes. Sales: nil.
 O. Tel Wei is quoted \$9.35 in mate
 and \$9.20 in boxes. Sales: nil. Stock
 2,100 piculs. Atom. \$1.40 a \$1.50 per
 picul. Camphor, \$10.50 a \$20.50 per
 packed.

SUNDRIES.—Fire Crackers, 72 a 77 cent
 per lb. for Cargos No. gold color
 Vanillon, \$20.00 per box. Matting, Fi
 on tarts, 161 cents; 44, 112 cents; 5/4, 1
 cents; 6/4, 161 cents per yard; Red Choc
 4/4, 134 cents; 5/4, 161 cents; white, 4/4
 144 cents; Double Extra Imperial, white, 4/
 144 cents; 5/4, 172 cents; 6/4, 184 cen
 Red extra, 5/4, 161 cents; 6/4, 184 cen
 6/4, 218 cents per yard. Cargo Glorie

Young Steam \$5.75. Cargo (Manila) \$3.55. Young Steam \$5.40, per case of jars. Soy: \$3.95 per picul.

IMPORTS.

LEAD—There is little or no demand in this article, and prices are as last reported. Manufacturers of White Lead are at standstill, and the market is dull, and of course minimal rates are not likely to be maintained. We quote L.B. and standard \$6.40 a \$6.46, hole Chop \$6.40 and W.B. \$6.60 per picul.

QUINOLININE is slightly weaker at \$59.68.50 per picul.

SHIPPING.

The rate of Freight to London, in a steamer, 23.4d, and per sailing vessel, 4p per ton of forty and fifty cubic feet respectively.

The rate of Freight to New York, per steamer, is £3.14, and per sailing vessel, £2.80 per ton of 40 cubic feet.

LOADING AND UNLOADING.—At Whampoa—**For New York.**—None.

For New York.—None.

At Hongkong.—**For London.**—Summit's Triton, Teuter, str., Clivald.

For New York.—Hannah W. Dudley (cleared for Manila), Olaf, str., (cleared for Singapore) John R. Skanhope, Belle Oregon.

For San Francisco.—None.

DEPARTURES.—**From Whampoa.**—**For London.**—None.

For New York.—None.

From Hongkong.—**For London.**—Fathichus, str., Hesperia, str., Achilles, str., Glenorchy, str.

For Calcutta.—Corra, Charles Stewart.

For San Francisco.—None.

